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## Dutchess Golf and Country Club

Houghkeepsie

New York

Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
47 West 34th Street,  
New York City.

Dear Sirs:-

May I not take this opportunity to write you, as Chairman of the Construction Committee, Dutchess Golf & Country Club, with reference to the completion of the improvements to our course, and say to you how much the committee are pleased with the work you did, the speed in which it was done, and the thoroughness thereof.

The new greens and fairways are now in use; the turf, although only six months old, is thick and velvety, and guests of the club have had hard work to believe that all this change has taken place in so short a time.

Must also compliment you on the very able representative you placed in charge of the work, and particularly the many valuable suggestions and attention your Construction Engineer, Mr. Jackson, gave us. His weekly inspection and delightful personality was greatly appreciated by the committee.

Most sincerely recommend your firm to any golf committee who contemplate any new or reconstruction work. I know they will receive the same courteous and efficient treatment you have given us.

Very truly,

P. O. Box 229

*Arato Helen*

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## FOREWORD



IN selecting these few pictures of some of our most recent landscape work we have tried to select those that show each different kind of work that we do—that is, supplying and moving large trees, supplying, arranging and planting all varieties and sizes of specimen nursery-grown trees and shrubs, large Cedar trees, Old Boxwood, the building of roads, tennis courts and golf courses, and any other work connected with the development of the grounds of a country home including giving advice without cost to the owner upon the selection of his property—or any other problem where our large experience in developing country estates would be of value to the owner.

The same careful attention will be given your inquiry whether you are interested in a small purchase of nursery stock or the landscape planting of your entire property.

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April Twenty-eighth  
Nineteen Twenty-one

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,  
Ardmore, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sirs:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 16th, and it gives me great pleasure to state that the work which you have done for me at Chestnut Hill has been most satisfactory.

Hoping that you will be able to secure additional work, I am

Yours very truly,

*E. J. Snodgrass*

The above is the largest and considered the finest garden built in America during the past decade. It was planted from our stock of large trees, which gave it immediately its present mature appearance.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Home of Mrs. Harold I. Pratt at Glen Cove, L. I., showing the large Elms planted by Lewis & Valentine. These Elms have the appearance of having been in this location for a century. Our organization completes work of this character in a few months which will save you years of waiting for small trees to grow



Appearance of a small residence which has been made attractive by the use of our trees, large and small. The trees to the right screen in the playground and the swimming pool

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825 WASHINGTON STREET NEW YORK April 25th, 1921.

June 28th, 1921.

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,

Brooklyn, L. I., N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

The work you have done in beautifying the parkings at Long Beach, has been the cause of favorable comments by thousands who have visited our beach resort during the last month, and justly so because of the excellent character of the work you have done.

It would be a great pleasure to me to recommend your firm to anyone requiring the services of first class landscape gardeners.

Yours very truly,

*William H. Reynolds*

Lewis & Valentine Company,  
Brooklyn, Long Island.

Gentlemen:

I want to take this opportunity to state to you that the work which you performed at my Long Island Estate is most satisfactory. I visited the estate yesterday after a three months vacation and must say that everything looks splendid and in very excellent condition.

Yours very truly,

JULIUS FLEISCHMANN

*Julius Fleischmann*



LUCKENBACH STEAMSHIP COMPANY, INC.  
44 WHITEHALL STREET  
NEW YORK CITY

OFFICE OF THE  
PRESIDENT

September 16, 1921.

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,

Foslyn, New York.

Gentlemen:

I take great pleasure in recommending you to anyone requiring trees, shrubs or plants of any kind.

I am pleased with the work you have been doing on my place for the past two years.

Yours truly

*Edgar F. Luckenbach*

Pleasing effect in garden at Sands Point, L. I., for Edgar F. Luckenbach, Esq., planted by Lewis & Valentine, showing old Boxwood, large Evergreens, large Elms and other shade trees





The home of Charles H. Sabin, Esq., at Southampton, L. I., showing some of our tall Cedars, Locusts, Magnolias, Dogwood, etc.  
Cross & Cross, architects. Miss Marion Coffin, landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





A stately, dignified arrangement of specimens of our old Boxwood, Cedars and large Elms  
on the estate of H. W. Croft, Esq., at Greenwich, Conn.  
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Meriden, Conn. 1901.

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
250 Broadway,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sirs:

I was at my place at Farmington yesterday and made a thorough examination of the work that you have done for me there and I am very pleased with the way that has been done. The large trees you moved for me last Autumn all seem to be thriving and give every indication of having successfully survived the transplanting. The boxwood also looks exceedingly well and I am more than satisfied with the efficient and expert way in which you handled the job.

It is a pleasure to work with people in whom one has absolute confidence as to their honesty as well as efficiency and I wish to thank you for the attention and labor received at your hands.

Yours very truly,

*Horace Kinnicutt*

GK:AC



A planting of tall Cedars, Retinosporas, and Spruce by Lewis & Valentine





Garden of Thomas W. Lamont, Esq., as planted by Lewis & Valentine for Walker & Gillette, Esq., architects. The small sketch shows the proposed planting before the garden was started. If you will send us a picture of your garden or any section you wish planted, we shall cheerfully submit suitable proposals for planting.



The small cut shows a residence before the planting was proposed. The large cut shows an example of a system of photography perfected by us by which we show photographs of the individual trees we propose using, placed in the exact position. This enables the owner to see at a glance the exact landscape effect that is proposed and will be produced before the order is placed or any planting is actually commenced. If you will send us a picture of your house, we will send you a composite photograph as above showing the planting we propose about your own house.

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One of more than a thousand smaller and medium sized places planted and made attractive by Lewis & Valentine every season—costing \$100 to \$1000

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LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS & ENGINEERS  
176 FIFTH AVENUE  
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SAMUEL T. BOGHE  
BROAD AND ARCH STREETS  
PHILADELPHIA

April 21, 1921.

Messrs Lewis & Valent  
Marbridge Bdg.,  
N. Y. City.

July 6th. 1921.

Dear Mr. Lewis:

I received at my home last night your letter asking permission to refer to me in securing certain important work on which you are estimating.

It gives me very great pleasure to say that during the Fall and Winter of 1920, and this Spring, you have been engaged in moving large trees upon my place (both deciduous and evergreen trees), and that I have been very much pleased with the manner in which you have performed the work. All the trees which you moved last Fall apparently look very well, and I trust that such may continue to be the case.

With best wishes for your success in securing the business

which you are seeking, I am,

Very truly yours,

Mr. C. Clifton Lewis,  
Ardmore, Pennsylvania.

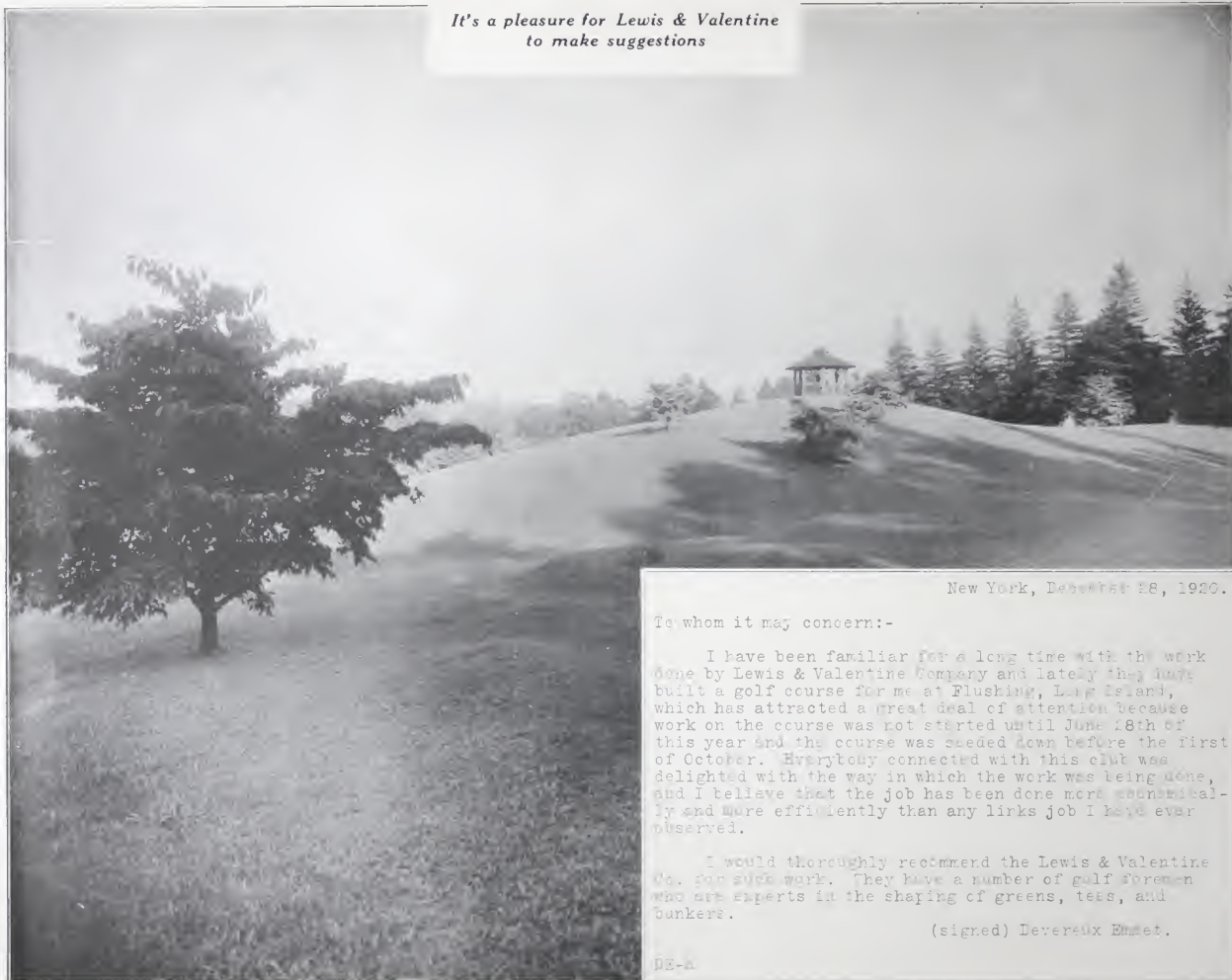
Gentlemen:-

As the work which you have been doing on the grounds of the Woolworth Estate under our directions, is now complete, we want to thank you for the attention you gave and the care and skill you used in handling this work. The work was principally bringing in large trees and plants (evergreens) for embellishing the mausoleum grounds at Woodlawn Cemetery and we were exceedingly pleased with the way the stock was handled, as well as the interest you took in executing the work according to our plans.

Yours very truly,

BRINLEY & HOLBROOK

*It's a pleasure for Lewis & Valentine  
to make suggestions*



New York, December 28, 1920.

To whom it may concern:-

I have been familiar for a long time with the work done by Lewis & Valentine Company and lately they have built a golf course for me at Flushing, Long Island, which has attracted a great deal of attention because work on the course was not started until June 18th of this year and the course was seeded down before the first of October. Everybody connected with this club was delighted with the way in which the work was being done, and I believe that the job has been done more economically and more efficiently than any links job I have ever observed.

I would thoroughly recommend the Lewis & Valentine Co. for such work. They have a number of golf foremen who are experts in the shaping of greens, tees, and bunkers.

(signed) Devereux Emmet.

DE-a

The private golf course of Frank Henderson, Esq., at Roslyn, L. I., as laid out by Devereux Emmet, Esq., golf architect. This company has helped in the building of the golf course for Daniel Guggenheim, Esq., at Port Washington, L. I., the Links Club at Manhasset and the Lido Golf course at Long Beach for Seth Raynor, golf architect. We have also done considerable landscape work for the Sleepy Hollow Country Club, the Nassau Country Club, and have under construction a new golf course for the Flushing Country Club at Flushing, L. I.; also for Detroit, Mich., Mapleswood, N. J., Rye, N. Y., Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and others. A 3 to 9-hole private golf course can be built on five to ten acres of land, and the cost of construction and maintenance is very little, particularly when constructed at the time of grading the lawns.

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JOHN RUSSELL POPE  
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OFFICE OF  
JOHN RUSSELL POPE  
ARCHITECT  
17 WEST 42<sup>ND</sup> STREET NEW YORK

June 14th, 1921.

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,  
1328 Broadway,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:-

Your request as to whether the landscape  
work executed by you for this office has been satisfactory,  
is received and in reply to same, I am very glad to  
say that the execution of the work and the quality  
of the planting has been most satisfactory.

Very truly yours,

JOHN RUSSELL POPE

*J. R. Pope*

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Estate of J. Swan Frick, Esq., Baltimore, Md., John Russell Pope, Esq., architect, Thomas W. Sears, Esq., showing Lewis & Valentine tall Cedars, old Boxwood and other trees

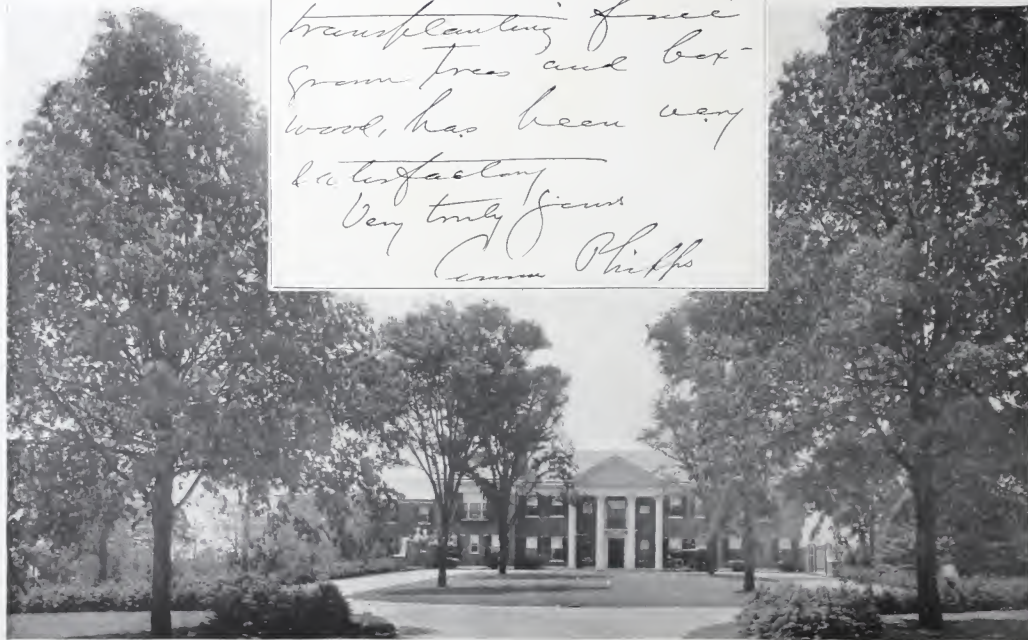
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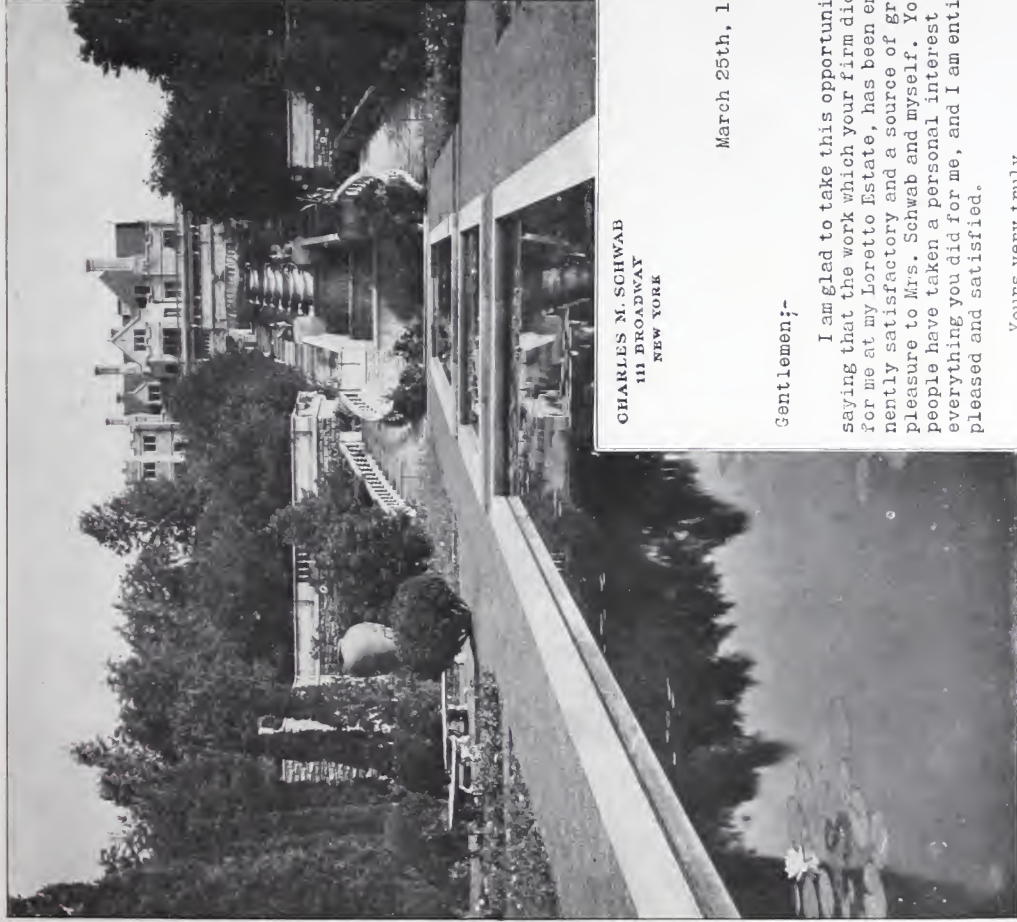
My dear Lemuel Valentine -  
The work you have  
done for us at "Barnum  
Blink" and especially  
transplanting of free-  
grown trees and box-  
wood, has been very  
satisfactory.  
Very truly yours  
Anna Phipps



Estate of Mrs. Henry Phipps at Great Neck, L. I. Horace Trumbauer, Esq., architect. Every tree shown here has been planted by us during the past two years

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





The estate of Charles M. Schwab, Esq., at Loretto, Pa., showing the large Pines, Maples, Cedars, etc., planted by us.  
Charles W. Leavitt, landscape architect.

CHARLES M. SCHWAB  
111 BROADWAY  
NEW YORK

March 25th, 1921.

Gentlemen:-

I am glad to take this opportunity of saying that the work which your firm did for me at my Loretto Estate, has been eminently satisfactory and a source of great pleasure to Mrs. Schwab and myself. Your people have taken a personal interest in everything you did for me, and I am entirely pleased and satisfied.

Yours very truly,

*Ch M Schwab*

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine Company,  
Marbridge Bldg., Broadway at 34th St.,  
NEW YORK CITY.



A photo of one of our European Lindens, of which we have over a thousand specimens, 3 to 8 inches in diameter, for immediate delivery. These trees are growing wide apart and have had ample room to develop





A planting on the estate of E. T. Stotesbury, Esq., Chestnut Hill, Pa. Jacques Greber, Esq., landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



A detail of the planting on the estate of E. F. Luckenbach, Esq., showing old Boxwood, tall Cedars, and Rhododendrons  
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January 17, 1922.

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L.I.

Dear Sirs:

In reference to your inquiry regarding the work of planting which you did at my place in Long Island, beg to say that this work was entirely satisfactory to me, and has been highly spoken of by friends who visited my place.

I take pleasure in saying that any one having this class of work to be done could not do better than to place it in your hands.

Very truly yours,

*Frank Henderson*



Winter scene on the estate of Frank Henderson, Esq., at Roslyn, L. I., where Lewis & Valentine Company did the tree planting



Garden of Eugene Meyer, Jr., Charles Platt, Esq., architect; James L. Greenleaf, Esq., landscape architect.  
Showing the large trees and old Boxwood transplanted by Lewis & Valentine Company

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NEW YORK

November 15th, 1920

Lewis & Valentine Company,  
Herbridge Building,  
Broadway at 34th Street,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I want to thank you and congratulate you on the splendid work you have done on my place during the present season.

The big trees were moved and planted with less fuss, and with apparently the best facilities, and the finest roots of any trees that have been so handled at Rockledge.

It seems like a miracle to have those trees spring up over night -- with the premises in the same clean condition that they have been before. I cannot see how you do it for the amount of money you charge.

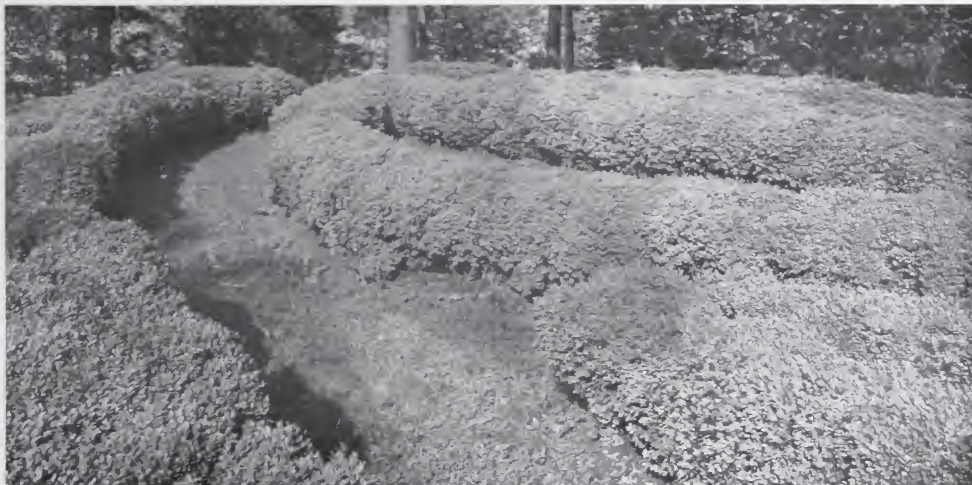
With best wishes, and assuring you of my hearty goodwill in the future,

Sincerely yours,

*Walter A. Johnson*  
Vice-President

Walter A. Johnson

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Messrs. Lewis & Valentine Co., Roslyn, N. Y.		
Gentlemen:		
I enclose check for \$597.80 in payment of your invoice No. 5022 of April 26th less 2% discount.		
I wish to say that I have never spent any money for landscaping that has given me quite as much satisfaction as this. The apple trees have done more for the place than anything else I could possibly imagine, and from present prospects your planting and care of these trees insure their being beautiful specimens.		
Thanking you very much for your attention to this matter,		
I am,		
Sincerely yours,		
LL:FP ENC.		



An old Boxwood hedge planted by us on the estate of Louis Tiffany, Esq., Cold Spring Harbor, L. I. We have many old hedges of this size ready for immediate delivery

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

*The American Railway Company.*

*Wetherpoon Building  
1321 Walnut Street,*

*Office of the President*

*Philadelphia.*

April 25-1921

Messrs Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
Landscape Contractors,  
Ardmore, Penna.

Gentlemen:-

The landscape planting and gardening which you have done for me on my place, Roslyn, Baverford, Penna. in the past eight months, have been most satisfactory. The trees and shrubs have all been up to specifications and the work performed as agreed.

It is a pleasure for me to make this acknowledgment to you.

Yours very truly,

*Van Horn Ely*

ROLAND R. CONKLIN  
21 EAST 40TH STREET, NEW YORK  
TELEPHONE MURRAY HILL 2239

January 3, 1922

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,  
47 W. 34th St.,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:

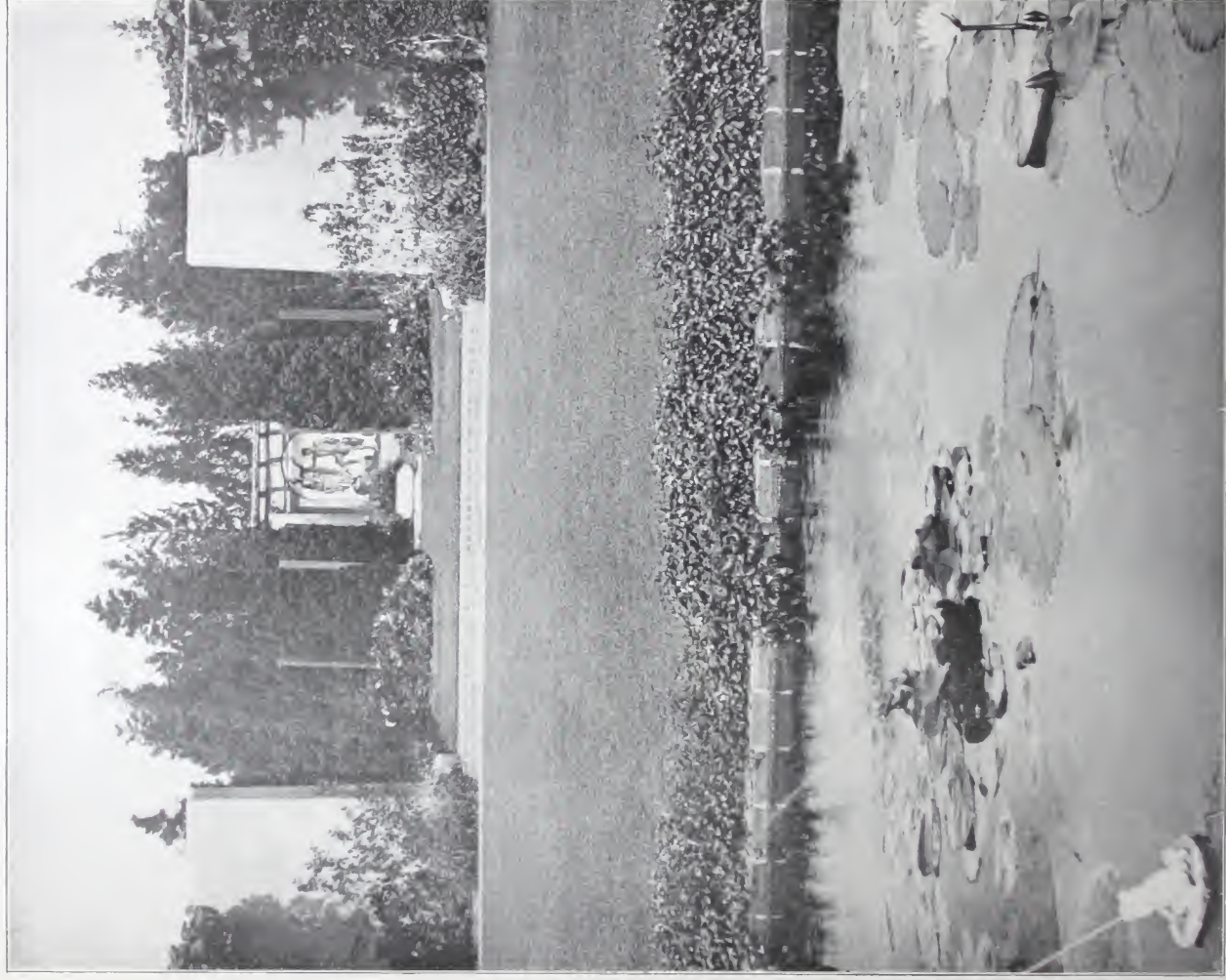
It is a great pleasure for me to express my appreciation of the services you have rendered me from time to time in the planting at Rosemary Farm.

I consider your firm very conscientious and know of no one whom I would rather trust for doing good work than your firm.

Yours very truly,

*Roland R. Conklin*





A section of the estate of H. H. Rogers, Esq. at Southampton, L. I., where we planted hundreds of large trees, creating an immediate effect. Olmsted Brothers, landscape architects. Walker & Gillette, architects.

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A Pin Oak tree of which we could supply several large specimens from 20 to 50 feet high  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Abies Concolor, of which we have many large specimens



DANIEL GUGGENHEIM.  
120 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK.

April 16, 1921

Messrs. Lewis and Valentine,  
Roslyn, Long Island,  
New York.

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to state that the work which you performed on the greens of the golf course at Hempstead House Estate, Port Washington, Long Island, during the season of 1920 was most satisfactory in every way, and as a result the greens at the beginning of this season are in a better shape than they have been since the course was planned and constructed.

Very truly yours,

*M. J. Collins*  
Private Secretary.



Garden of George D. Pratt, Esq., Glen Cove, L. I. James L. Greenleaf, Esq., landscape architect. The splendid maturity obtained by these large Elms, Apples and Boxwoods could be secured in no other way.

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GUY LOWELL

ARCHITECT

12 WEST STREET, BOSTON  
225 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK

MCF BAKER  
C HENRY  
H HOUSE JR  
P RICHMOND

Cable Addresses  
GUYLOW NY  
GUYLOW BOSTON

New York, May 5th, 1921

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine  
Reclyn, L. I.

Dear Sirs:

The work of landscape planting that you have carried out in my office has been satisfactorily done and effective in its results, and I therefore shall be pleased to answer any questions about the quality of your work should you wish to refer anybody to me.

Yours very truly,

GL/K

Guy Lowell



The estate of C. K. G. Billings, Esq., at Oyster Bay. This was a barren knoll before we undertook to move this entire planting of full grown deciduous and evergreen trees. Guy Lowell, Esq., architect

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787 FIFTH AVENUE,

NEW YORK, January 13, 1922

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
Roslyn,  
Long Island, New York

Dear Sirs;

Having been a customer of yours  
many years, I take great pleasure in  
recommending you to anybody desiring to  
purchase or transplant trees or shrubs.

My wife and myself have both  
been pleased with the work which you have  
done on our Westbury Estate.

Yours very truly,

*Bradley Martin*

BM/W



This garden, which has the atmosphere of an English Manor garden, is on the estate of Bradley Martin, Esq., at Old Westbury, L. I. All the old Boxwoods were supplied from our collection

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Harvey Murdock  
Contractor and Builder,  
15 Wall Street,  
Telephone Contractor

New York, April 25, 1921.

To whom it may concern:-

I have been acquainted with the Lewis & Valentine Company for about fifteen years and I am familiar with the work that they have executed on many private estates on Long Island. This has all been carried on with honesty, intelligence and efficiency.

No better results have been achieved anywhere in developing landscape work than has been done by Lewis and Valentine.

Yours truly,

*Harvey Murdock*

H.M.C

The Nassau Club at Glen Cove, L. I., showing the large Elms planted by us about ten years ago under the direction of Harvey Murdock, Esq.  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



A view of the home of Capt. Francis R. Mayer at Hewlett, L. I., where many rare and historical Boxwood plants have been assembled  
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*Transo & Canada Steamship Corporation*  
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January 6, 1922

Lewis & Valentine Company  
 Floral, Long Island

Dear Sir:

It is a matter of great interest to us to learn that you are establishing an office in the Middle West.

The character of your splendid facilities, your great experience and able staff cannot but be of great service to companies wishing to improve and make beautiful their countryside in accordance with the best principles of landscape gardening.

The large amount of work of planting done by you on my place at Hewlett, Long Island has been very satisfactory and the trees, plants and shrubs seem almost without exception to be in a flourishing state.

I shall be pleased at any time to answer any inquiries that may be made as to the character of the work done by you, and as to my opinion of your professional skill and sound business principles.

Very truly yours

*F. R. Mayer*

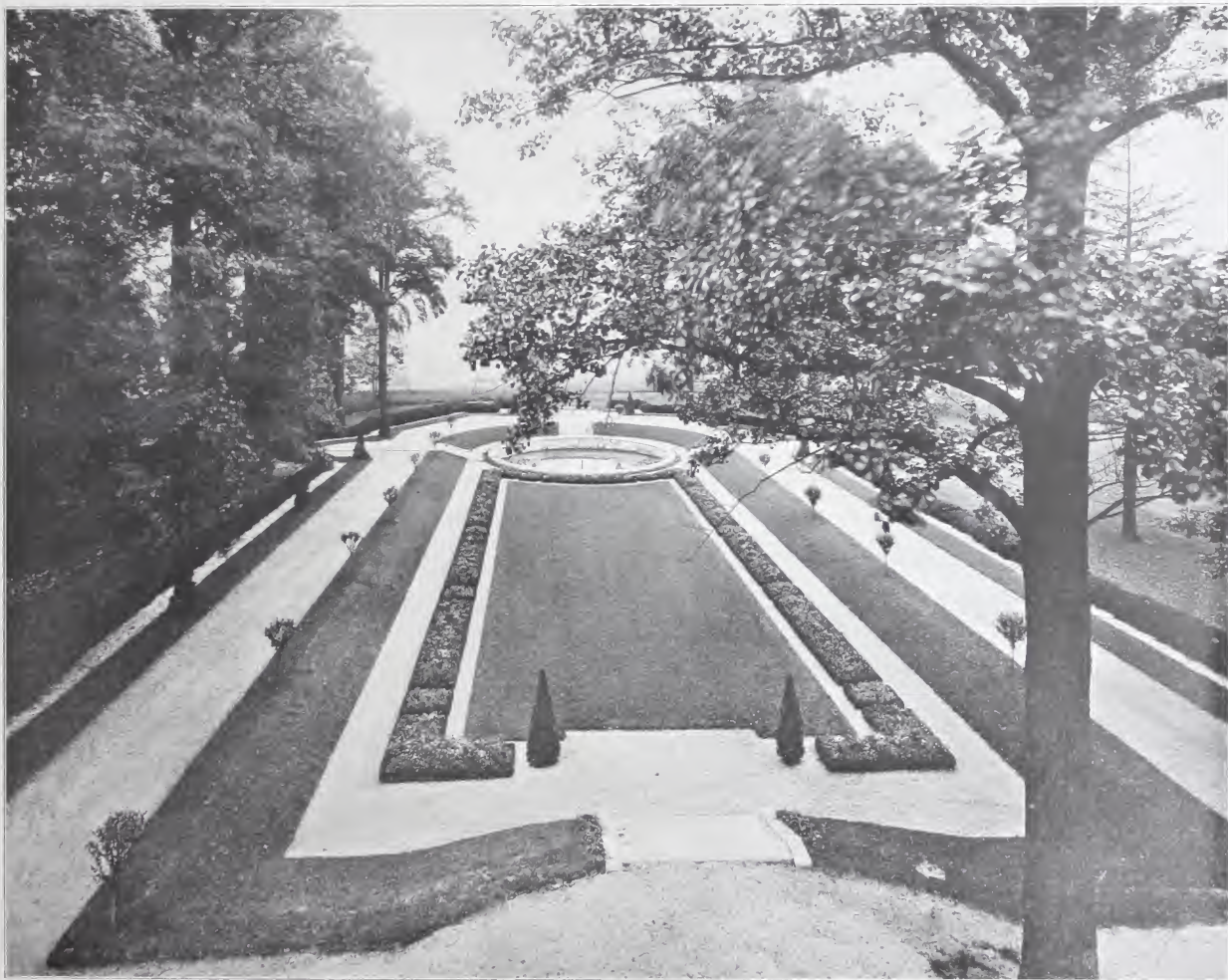
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Some of our large Blue Spruce showing quality and texture of perfect specimen trees. Lewis & Valentine Company have several thousand Blue Spruce running from 6 to 20 feet in height for immediate delivery

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Boxwood hedging bordering the shady garden on the new estate of E. T. Stetisbury, Esq., Chestnut Hill, Pa. Jacques Greber, Esq., landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

E. E. DU PONT  
GREENVILLE POST OFFICE  
DELAWARE

BELL PHONE 2700

April 22<sup>nd</sup>/21

Levi & Valentine &

this is to compliment you  
on the work you did in  
moving 4 large trees for me.

The names in which you headed  
these trees was all that could be  
desired.

Yours Truly E. E. du Pont



A Philadelphia estate where our large trees and old Boxwood were used  
Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company





The estate of J. B. Townsend, Esq., near Philadelphia, where our work may be inspected  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Boxwood which are a part of the Alfred I. Du Pont, Esq., collection which were planted by us. This collection is considered among the largest and finest in this country of these very rare and most highly valued plants

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Immediate effect produced in the garden of Joseph Jenkins, Esq., Baltimore, Md., by using a few of our large Cedars. Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Large Boxwood plants planted by us on the estate of J. Swan Frick, Esq., Baltimore, Md. Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect, Philadelphia, Pa. A few old Boxwood specimens in your garden lend an air of age and dignity that cannot be produced with any other material. May we send you photographs of some of the old Boxwood and large shade trees that we have located within hauling distance of your estate?

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





The estate of H. G. Haskell, Esq., Wilmington, Del. C. W. Leavitt, Jr., Esq., landscape architect. The large White Pine shown at the extreme left (one of the many large trees we moved to this estate) is over forty feet high and has a spread of over thirty feet. This photograph, which was just taken, shows the thrifty condition of the tree we moved three years ago.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Estate of E. T. Stotesbury, Esq., Palm Beach, Fla., as planted by us with full grown palms and other trees. Addison Mizner, Esq., architect; Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



One of the largest and finest collections of Old English Boxwood in this country planted by us on the estate of Alfred I. Du Pont, Esq., Wilmington, Delaware.  
Carrere & Hastings, architects

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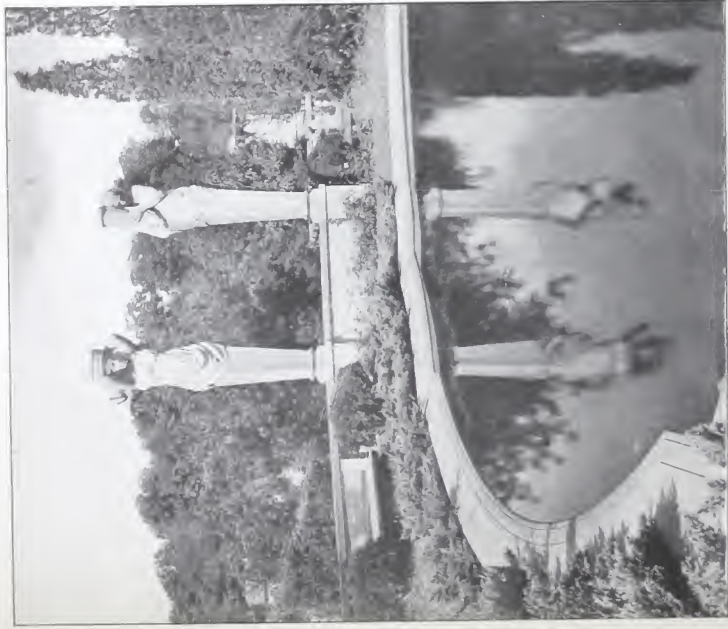


A mass planting of large Cedars to form a vista with a pair of our old Boxwood plants on either side of the steps

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Old Boxwood planted by us on the estate of A. J. Draper, Esq., for E. S. Draper, Esq., landscape architect, of Charlotte, N. C.  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



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A—Showing a background of large trees and tall Cedars planted by us on the estate of Charles M. Schwab, Esq., at Loretto, Pa. C. W. Leavitt, Esq., landscape architect.  
B—Some more of our large Evergreens on the Charles M. Schwab, Esq., estate, which have created an effect which would have otherwise taken a lifetime if the usual nursery trees had been planted

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BROOKLYN N.Y. June 27, 1922.

Mr. A. A. Lewis,  
Lewis & Valentine Company,  
Brooklyn, L.I.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your favor of the 22nd inst., referring to the planting you attended to last season I am more than pleased with the results of your work.

The large elms you moved and planted on my grounds are apparently doing as well as before they were moved and the evergreen etc., are in splendid condition.

Wishing you every success, I am,  
Yours very truly,

*E. P. Morse*  
E. P. Morse





A planting of large Elms, Beeches, Pin Oaks and Cedars which were collected in the surrounding vicinity and moved by us to produce an immediate effect. Small trees planted near a house fail to give it a matured and homelike appearance. Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect, Philadelphia, Pa.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

CAUCHOIS COFFEE COMPANY

36th Street & Seventh Avenue, New York

Milford

Pike County, Pennsylvania

May 3, 1921.

April 27, 1921

Lewis & Valentine Co.,

Roslyn, L.I.

Lewis & Valentine,  
Aramore, Pa.

Gentlemen:-

Gentlemen:-

Herewith enclosed please find check covering your invoice dated April 19th.

I am very glad to recommend you as Landscape Contractors. The work you have done for me was extremely satisfactory. All the trees that were moved, under rather trying circumstances, have lived and flourished. Both Mr. Pinchot and I were very much pleased. He was especially interested in the machinery you have worked out for moving large trees.

I wish to take this occasion of thanking you for the prompt and thorough manner in which you did this planting, and am pleased to advise that the work, from all appearances now is entirely satisfactory.

Appreciating your past courtesies, and assuring you it will give me great pleasure to recommend you at any time, beg to remain

Believe me,

Yours very truly

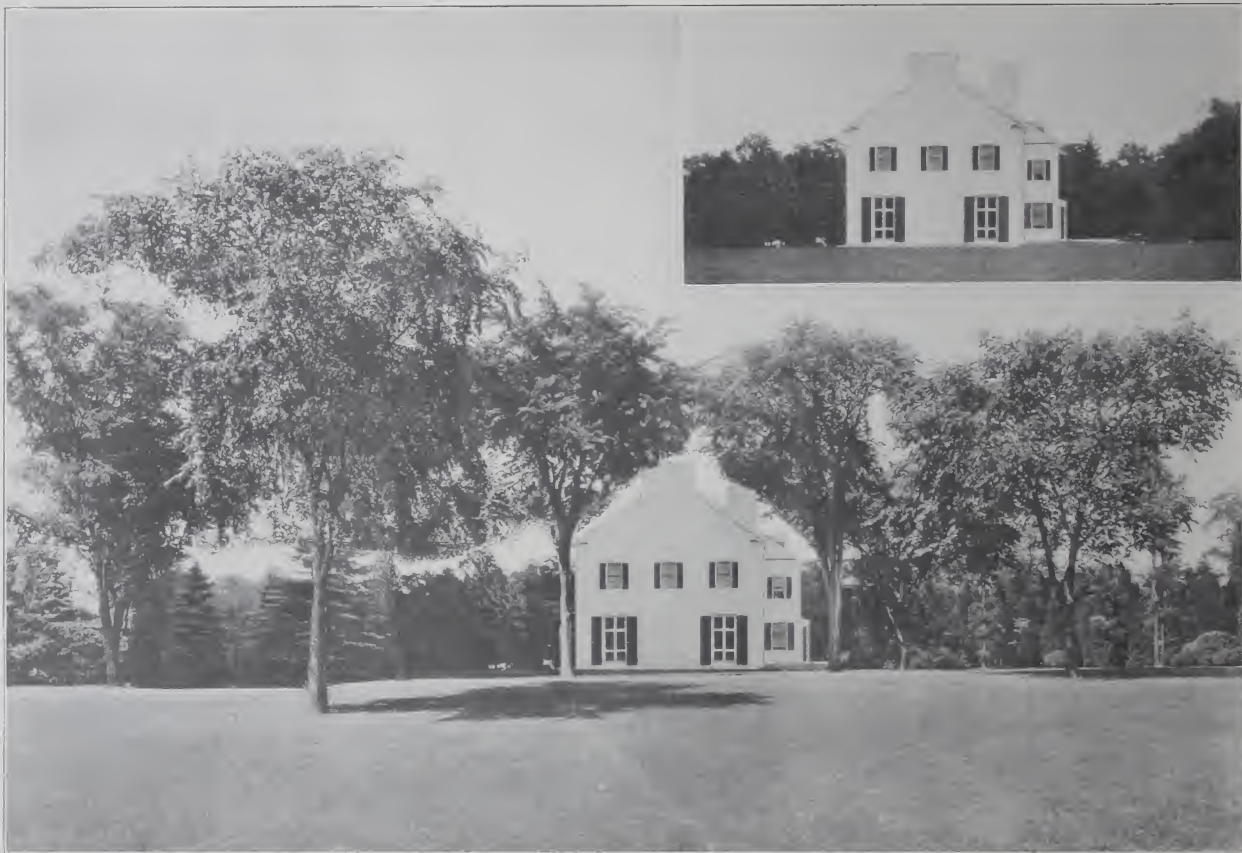
Very truly yours,

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Enclosure - check

Mrs. Gifford Pinchot

*Amelia B. Pinchot*



The above picture is a combination of a photo of the residence before any planting was started, and pictures of the individual trees that we propose planting. This new system of landscaping developed by our photographer enables you to see exactly what the finished result will be and know the exact cost before any work is actually commenced.



Showing the present thrifty condition of large Elms moved by us three years ago to the estate of George W. Jenkins, Esq., Baltimore, Md. R. B. Cridland, Esq.,  
landscape architect, Bailey Building, Philadelphia, Pa.  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Estate of George D. Weidener, Esq., at Philadelphia, Pa., Jacques Greber, Esq., landscape architect. The large trees shown were transplanted with our modern tree moving equipment

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W. W. Lanahan, Esq., of Baltimore, Md., showed that it is not necessary to build a house in relation to the landscape. He selected a barren hill affording a beautiful view of the surrounding country and produced an immediate landscape effect by planting beautiful full-grown trees, which were selected in the vicinity and planted by us with our patented large tree moving machinery. Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect; Pleasants Pennington, Esq., architect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Home of Charles H. Sabin, Esq., Southampton, L. I. Cross & Cross, architects. Showing how our large trees improve the site of a new residence  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

TELEPHONE: TRIT MURRAY HILL  
 1000 GREAT NECK

W. ALBERT SWASEY, INC.  
 ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS  
 101 PARK AVENUE

NEW YORK.

APRIL  
 TWENTIETH  
 1921.

To Whom it may concern:

We are familiar with the ability of the Lewis & Valentine Company of Reolyn, Long Island, and take great pleasure in recommending them for any contracts they may seek.

This firm has recently completed roads and landscape work on a suburban estate under our supervision which has given general satisfaction to both ourselves and the owner.

Very truly yours,

W. ALBERT SWASEY, INC.

President.

WAS/A

GUYON L. C. EARLE

REAL ESTATE

358 FIFTH AVENUE AT 34TH STREET  
 NEW YORK

June 13, 1921.

Honors. Lewis & Valentine,  
 Reolyn, L. I.

Gentlemen:

In ordering the landscape work for the Gardens Apartment, Inc., through your company, the order was placed because of the satisfactory dealings we had had with your company previously.

The owners are very pleased with the showing and quality of planting. Your lawn has grown remarkably evenly and free from weeds.

The planting is all doing well and is certainly a great addition to the place. Many of the tenants have commented on its excellence.

Yours very truly,

GARDENS APARTMENT, INC.

Secretary.

G.L.C.E./M.





The Arlington Amphitheatre at Washington, D. C., showing some Cedars planted by us for Col. C. S. Ridley of the War Department.  
Carrere & Hastings, architects

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

*RICHARD A ROWLAND*  
1476 Broadway At 42nd Street  
NEW YORK

Lewis & Valentine Company,  
Marbridge Building,  
Broadway at 34th Street,  
New York City.

*RV*

April 22nd, 1921.

Gentlemen:

This is to advise that I am more than pleased with the work you have done on my estate at NYC, N. Y.

The old boxwoods and evergreens around the base of the house were more than satisfactory. Also the transplanting of the full grown trees which was a very difficult task was done in a commendable manner.

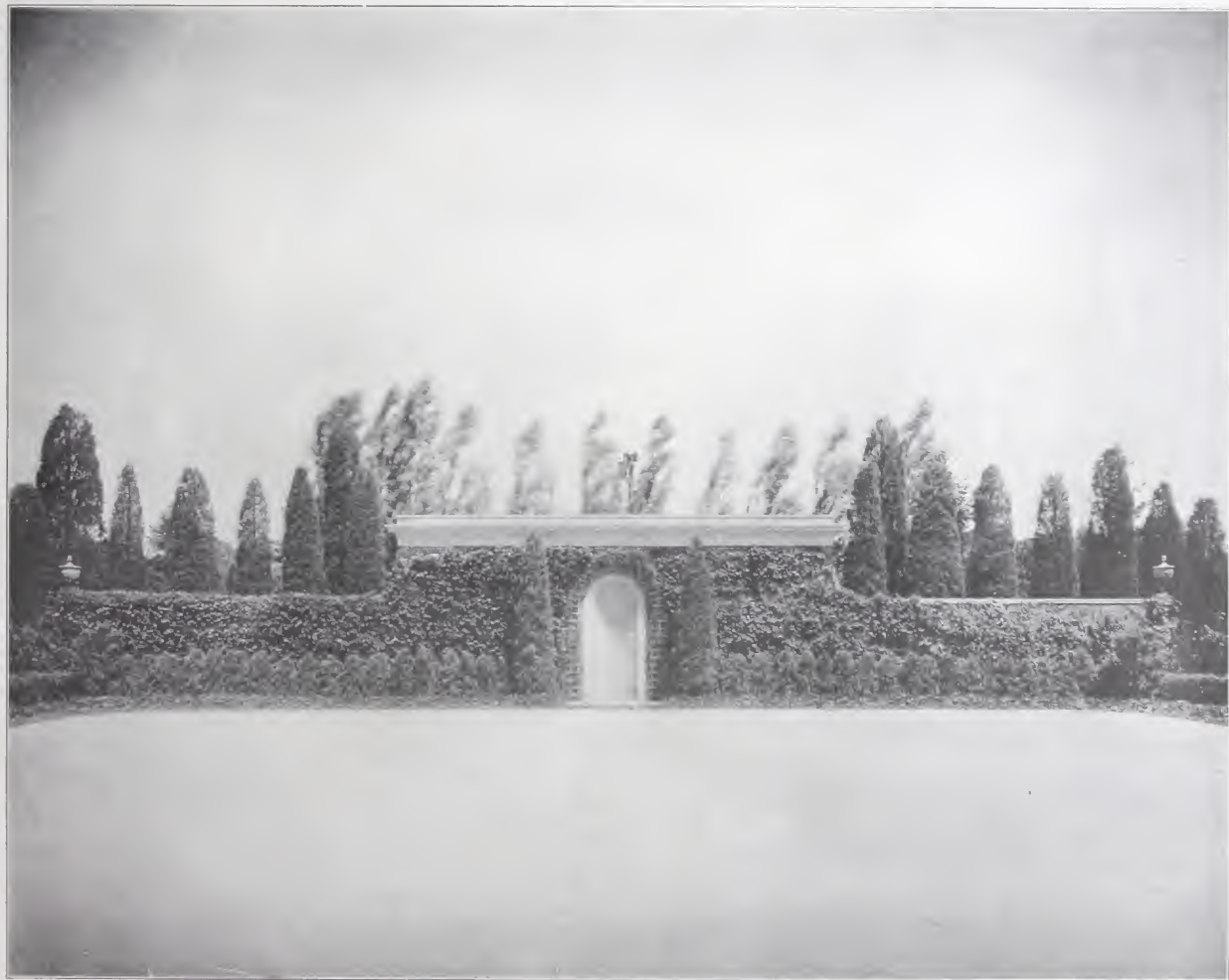
Thanking you very kindly for your efforts and consideration and for the high class work done, I am

Very truly yours,

*Richard A. Rowland*

RAE:LRM





A formal effect obtained by planting our tall Cedars on the estate of J. Swan Frick, Esq., at Baltimore, Md. John Russell Pope, Esq., architect;  
Thomas W. Sears, Esq., landscape architect.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Estate of Frank C. B. Page, Esq. All of the trees shown in the picture were planted by us during the past few seasons and have converted a bare, open field into a beautiful landscape. Little & Brown, architects. A. Chandler Manning, Esq., landscape architect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

FRANK C. B. PAGE  
ADAMS & PLYMOUTH STREETS  
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

April 29th, 1921.

Lewis & Valentine  
Roslyn,  
Long Island, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

With reference to the planting which you have done on my place at Oyster Bay, would state the same is entirely satisfactory, and I have no hesitancy in recommending your services to others.

Very truly yours,

*F. C. B. Page*

W. M. ANDERSON

STEAM FITTING, PLUMBING

600-612 SCUYLKILL AVE.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

April 28, 1921.

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine Co.  
Ardmore, Pa.

Gentlemen:

I desire to compliment you upon the manner in which you handled the planting at my residence at Haverford, and also for the interest that you have shown in those plantings after the same have been there nearly a year.

Attention of this kind and generous vision in planting whatever business concerns come to your line, feeling assured that you would be not only interested in placing of the business, but the quick, healthy growing of the same.

Very truly yours,

*Wm Anderson*

Ans



An artistic arrangement of Cedars and old Boxwood on the estate of Guernsey Curran, Esq., Oyster Bay, L. I. Guy Lowell, Esq., architect. We have 12,000 of these Cedars and about 100 of these large Boxwood plants, of all sizes and shapes, from 50 to 200 years old, ready for immediate delivery  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





The double flowering Japanese Cherry of which we could supply many perfect specimens 10 to 20 feet high  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



A winter view of the J. H. Bragdon estate at New Rochelle, N. Y., as laid out by our Westchester branch  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



*Above*—An avenue of large Maples planted full-grown by us on the estate of Otto H. Kahn, Esq., at Woodbury, Long Island. It is no longer necessary to wait for saplings to mature. We can move an avenue or a grove for you in a single season.

*Right*—Detailed entrance planting on the estate of Mrs. C. C. Rumsey at Wheatley Hills, Long Island.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





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COMBUSTION ENGINEERING CORPORATION

MECHANICAL  
ENGINEERS



FURNACE  
EQUIPMENT

COMBUSTION ENGINEERING BUILDING  
BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

January 21, 1922.

Lewis & Valentine,  
47 West 34th Street,  
New York, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

I want to compliment you upon the success, and the manner, in which you have done the landscape work and drive building on my place. It has been most satisfactory, and you have obtained a very attractive result.

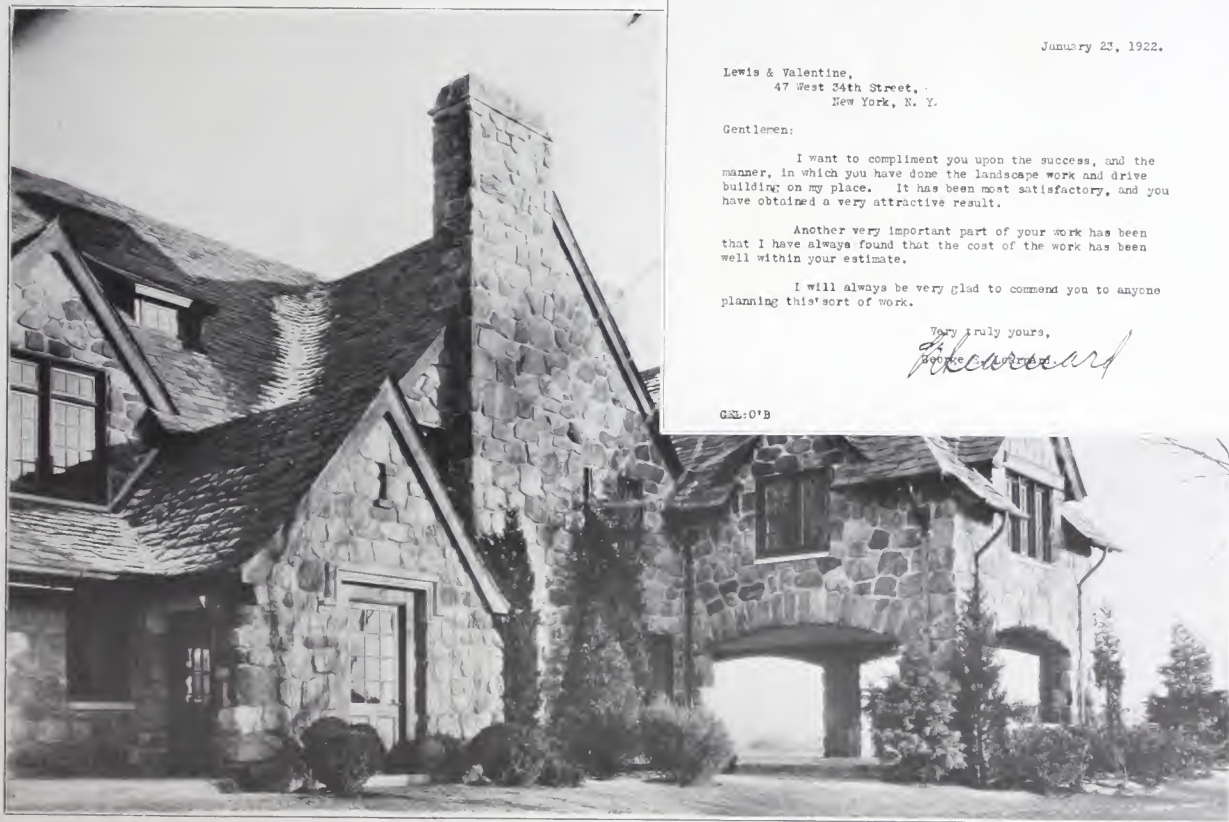
Another very important part of your work has been that I have always found that the cost of the work has been well within your estimate.

I will always be very glad to commend you to anyone planning this sort of work.

Very truly yours,

*George Learnard*  
George Learnard

GEL:O'B



Estate of George Learnard, Esq., Greenwich, Conn., as laid out by us  
Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company



One of our specimen Fern-leaf Beech trees  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



An entrance planting of some of our large Cypress, Maples, Boxwood, Rhododendrons, etc.  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



W. R. COE  
51 WALL STREET  
—  
CARLETONS  
"COEKENODEN"

NEW YORK, January 13, 1922.

JOHN C. GREENLEAF  
ARCHITECT  
15 WEST 38TH ST.  
NEW YORK

April 26, 1921,

Messrs. Lewis & Valentine,

47 West 34th Street,

New York, N. Y.

Dear Sirs:

You have done a great deal of work on my estate at Oyster Bay during the past seven years which has been very satisfactory to me, and I take pleasure in recommending you to anyone requiring trees, shrubbery, etc., or the removal of same.

Yours very truly,

*W. R. Coe*

Lewis & Valentine Company,  
47 West 34th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

Whenever the opportunity has presented itself, I have been only too glad to recommend your firm for landscaping, grading, planting, road building, etc.

All of this type of work which you have done for me has been in every way most satisfactory, and I always feel that when work is undertaken by you it will be properly done and the results will be the best that could possibly be desired.

Very truly yours,

*John C. Greenleaf*

JCC/EE.



The garden on the estate of W. R. Coe, Esq., at Oyster Bay. Guy Lowell, Esq., architect. A. R. Sargent, Esq., landscape architect, which shows how well old Boxwoods fit into the formal garden effect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Residence of C. C. Auchincloss, Esq., Wheatley Hills, as remodelled by Peabody, Wilson & Brown, and planted by us.

Above, showing the residence before alterations  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





This picture shows several specimens of our trees. Note especially the two large Elms planted for James L. Greenleaf, Esq., landscape architect, in the garden of George D. Pratt, Esq., at Glen Cove, L. I.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





A winter scene of the entrance to the Westchester-Biltmore Country Club, at Rye, that we are now planting.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*

# WESTCHESTER-BILTMORE COUNTRY CLUB

-Rye, N.Y.-

The Biltmore,  
June 7, 1921

JOHN M. L. BURNHAM, President

To Them it May Concern:

I have been acquainted with the work of the Lewis & Valentine Company for about fifteen years, and more especially with the work they have executed on many of the Long Island estates. The reputation they enjoy for honorable dealing and efficiency is a most enviable one.

They are doing very satisfactory work for the Westchester Biltmore Country Club at Rye, N. Y., at this time.

It is a privilege to me to have an opportunity of recommending them for their good work.

Yours very truly,

*John M. L. Burnham*

AUGREY WEYMOUTH  
ONE HUNDRED AND ONE PARK AVENUE  
NEW YORK

Mr. Frederick W. Lewis,  
Construction Department,  
Lewis & Valentine, Inc.,  
47 West 34th Street,  
New York City.

January 21, 1922.

Dear Mr. Lewis:

In the construction work which you did for the Pomonok Club in Flushing time was the essence of the contract.

We took possession of the site on June 25, 1920 and it was essential that play should begin over the course, as promised, on May 30, 1921. In order to do this, it was necessary to construct the course and seed the same during the period between July 1 and October 1, 1920. This called for a carefully arranged time schedule and the careful carrying out of the same.

I am pleased to state that your Company was able to perform this work satisfactorily for us and the course was open for play on May 28, 1921 and has been in constant use since.

Yours truly,

*Augrey Weymouth*

J. R. MARSH  
30 EAST 42ND STREET  
NEW YORK CITY

June 10, 1921.

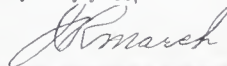
Mr. Albert L. Lewis,  
Lewis & Valentine Company,  
34th St. & Broadway, City.

Dear Mr. Lewis:

Replying to your letter of recent date regarding the work which you have done this spring for Mr. J. J. Ricks, at Plandome, under my direction, would say that Mr. Ricks has expressed himself to me as entirely satisfied with the work done.

I take pleasure in sending you this information and to add to it the expression of my personal satisfaction.

Very truly yours,



copy to Mr. Ricks.



On the grounds of the home of Jesse J. Ricks, Esq., Plandome, L. I. Considered one of the finest landscaped of the smaller estates  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Brooklyn, N.Y. January 13th.  
1922.

The Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:-

Your wonderful trees and shrubs, which you have planted for me have turned my Great Neck property into a most attractive place and I take pleasure in expressing herewith my entire satisfaction. You certainly have handled the entire work successfully. It may also be of interest to you to learn, that a great many of my friends have expressed their admiration regarding the planting, particularly since it has been done so successfully within a short period of time.

I can recommend your firm very highly to anyone contemplating planting of any nature.

With best wishes, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

*Eugene Kienle*



Estate of Eugene Kienle, Esq., at Great Neck. Wm. H. Gompert, Esq., architect  
Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company





Some of our large full-grown Evergreens, which produce an immediate effect and save a lifetime of waiting  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



A collection of old Boxwood at our Roslyn, L. I., nursery. Note the large ball of earth taken with each plant, which accounts for our exceptional success in transplanting Boxwood and other large trees. Trees of this size can only be successfully moved by our especially designed tree-moving equipment.

A. E. WATTS  
FORTY FIVE NASSAU STREET  
NEW YORK

January 16, 1922.

Messrs. Lewis and Valentine,  
47 West 34th Street,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to state that the work done by your company at my home at Great Neck, Long Island, has been a source of considerable satisfaction to me. I frequently find, without any solicitation on my part, one of your men working at plantings made many months previous, which clearly demonstrates your personal interest in the work accomplished.

Yours very truly,



AEW:BW



Home of A. E. Watts, Esq., at Great Neck, L. I., showing some of our large shade trees and Evergreens, producing an immediate effect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Residence of Carroll L. Post, Esq., Roslyn, L. I., showing use of some of our large Blue Spruce, tall Cedars, Rhododendrons, etc.  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



View of the estate of George Larnard, Esq., at Greenwich, Conn., Ludlow and Peabody, architects  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Showing two large trees planted in front of the residence of George Fahys, Esq., at Locust Valley, L. I. These two trees are worth ten times their cost to this property

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



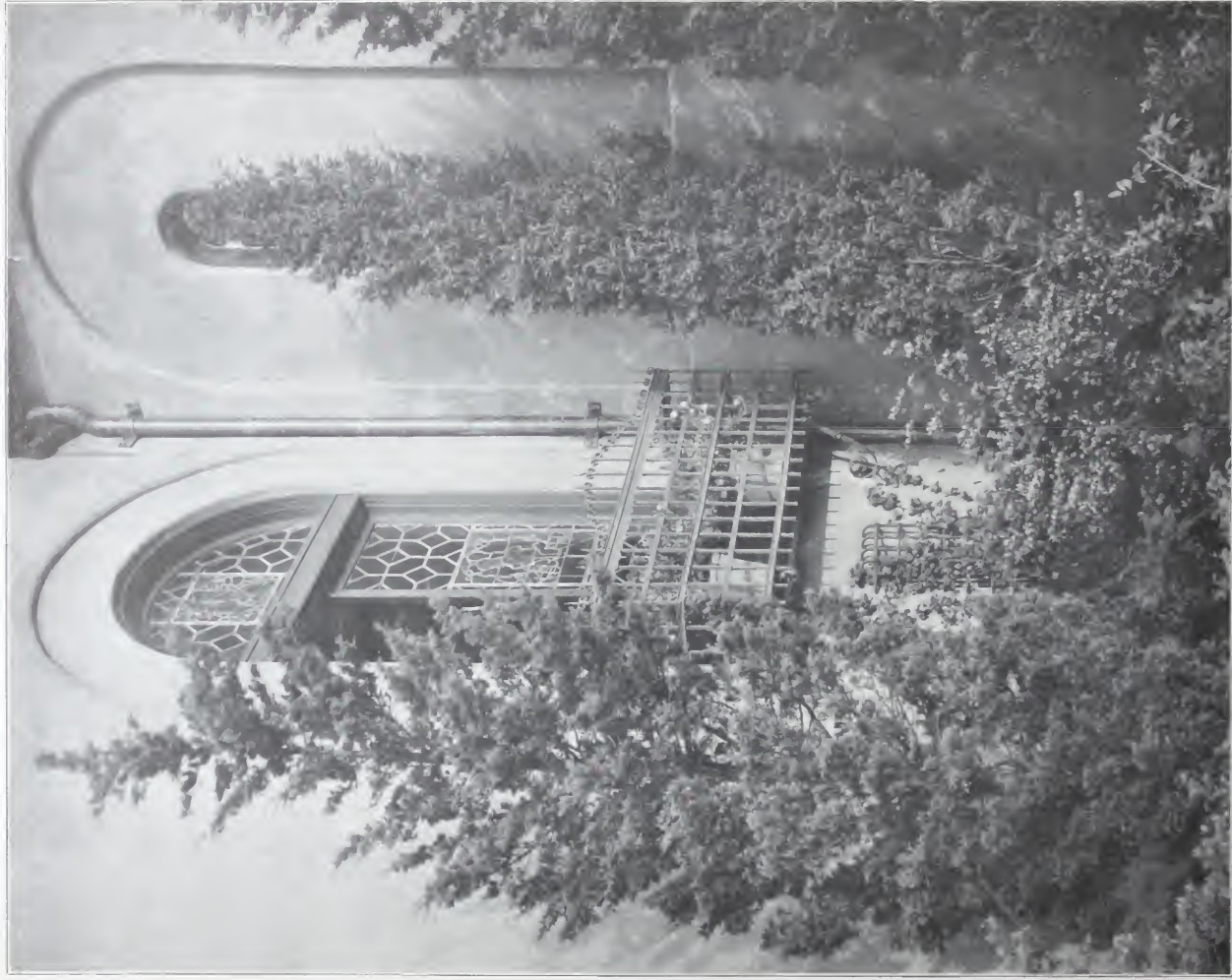


Flowering Apple—We can also supply large plants of Flowering Crab, Flowering Cherry, etc.  
*Landscaping Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Some of our Cedar trees planted on the estate of H. H. Rogers, Esq., at Southampton, L. I. Olmsted Bros., landscape architects  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





A detail planting by us on the estate of H. H. Rogers, Esq., Southampton; Walker & Gillette, architects; Olmsted Bros., landscape architects. An architectural effect can be obtained by the use of these tall trees that cannot be obtained in any other way.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Home of Albert Milbank, Esq., Huntington, L. I., John Mead Howells, Esq., architect. Here we planted several hundred trees, large and small  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Italian garden of Mrs. Frank Henderson at Roslyn, L. I. Diago DeSuarez, Esq., landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Home of Clifford V. Brokaw, Esq., at Locust Valley, L. I. Charles A. Platt, Esq., architect. The main avenue of large trees and other landscape work on this place was done by us

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Home of Mrs. Harold I. Pratt at Glen Cove, L. I., showing the large Elms planted by us. These Elms have the appearance of having been in this location for a century. Our organization can complete work of this character in a few months and save you years of waiting for small trees to grow

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Landscape work done by us about the home of Mrs. C. P. R. Dugmore, at Locust Valley, L. I.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



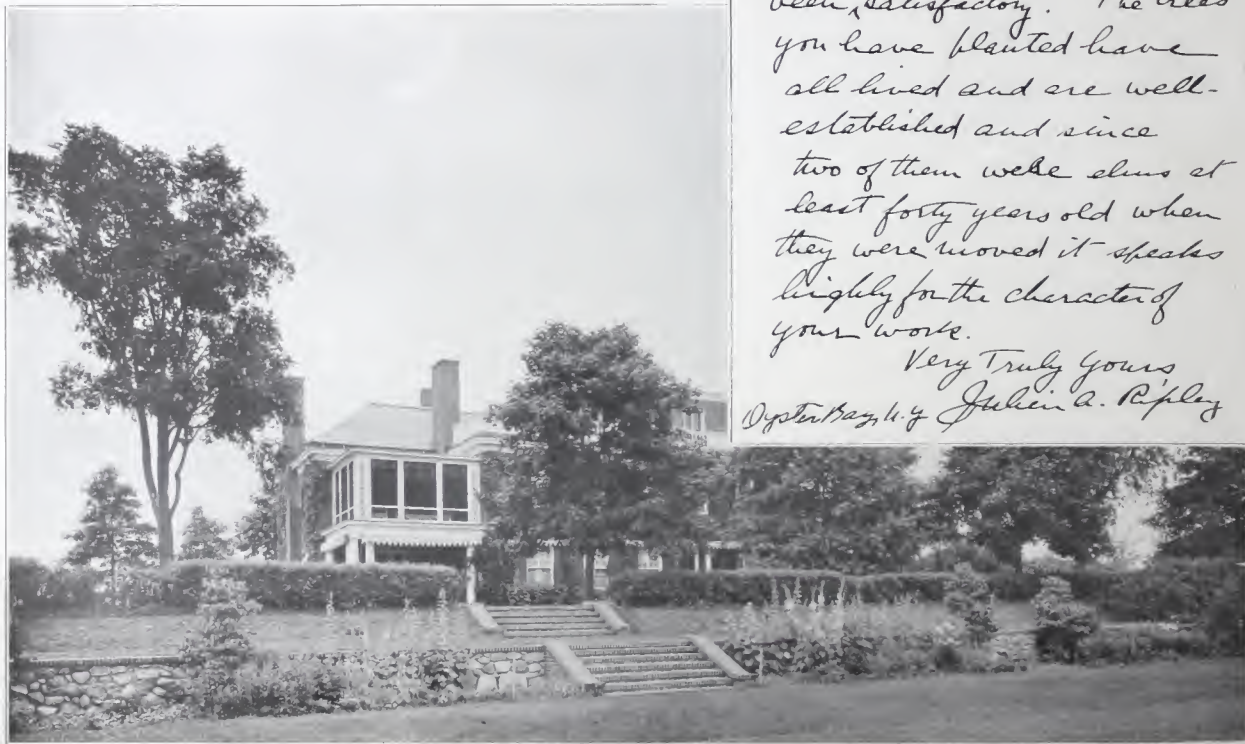
Garden of Frank Henderson, Esq. Diago DeSuarez, Esq., landscape architect. The garden walls are built of a new composition resembling Italian travertine, and the garden layout is of Italian design. We have hundreds of photographs of various styles of landscape gardening, which we are glad to have our customers inspect to aid them in deciding upon the particular landscape style to adopt for their own places.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Home of Jesse J. Ricks, Esq., at Plandome, L. I., showing planting of Evergreens shutting out the garage from the foreground terrace. J. R. Marsh, Esq., architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Mr. A. A. Lewis May 17th 1921  
Dear Sir

I am very glad to be able to say that the work you have done for me has been <sup>very</sup> satisfactory. The trees you have planted have all lived and are well-established and since two of them were elms at least forty years old when they were moved it speaks highly for the character of your work.

Very Truly Yours  
Julien A. Ripley

Home of Julien Ripley, Esq., at Brookville, L. I., Guy Lowell, Esq., architect. These large trees moved in by us transform this new place into a shaded home  
Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company



The new garden of Edgar F. Luckenbach, Esq., at Port Washington, L. I., Jacques Greber, Esq., landscape architect. The old Boxwood hedge is a section of the hedge originally planted by Jerome Bonaparte in Baltimore in 1804. The large trees forming the background were planted last winter and the hedge about the beds is of Old English Yew, *Taxus*.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Some of the tall Elms, old Boxwood, etc., planted by us on the estate of Harry W. Croft, Esq., at Greenwich, Conn., giving this new house an appearance of age and comfort. James L. Greenleaf, Esq., landscape architect

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Garden of Harry W. Croft, Esq., at Greenwich, Conn. James L. Greenleaf, Esq., landscape architect  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Some large trees moved by us to the estate of George C. Smith, Esq., at East Norwich, L. I., adding immensely to the value and beauty of his estate  
*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





Garden of Meredith Hare, Esq., Huntington, L. I. Mrs. L. E. Shipman, landscape architect; Charles Platt, Esq., architect. The large Elms were planted by us five years ago

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



The courtyard of the Victor Morawetz home, Woodbury, L. I. The Boxwoods were taken from our famous collection many of which date back to the colonial days

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



Home of John Anderson, Esq., at Locust Valley, L. I. Showing effect produced by the planting of large Elms near the residence—trees that are high branched and will not shut out the light, the view, nor the breeze.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*





The Roosevelt Memorial School as planted by us at Pelham, N. Y., under the direction of L. Odgen Thompson, Esq. L. L. Lundquist, Esq., landscape architect. If you will send a snapshot of any public buildings in which you may be interested, we will gladly make sketches and an estimate for the landscape development without obligation

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



The home of J. J. Ricks, Esq., at Plandome, L. I., before and after we did the planting. We plant hundreds of the smaller home grounds each season with the same careful attention that we give to the larger places.

*Landscape Planting by Lewis & Valentine Company*



The above before planting

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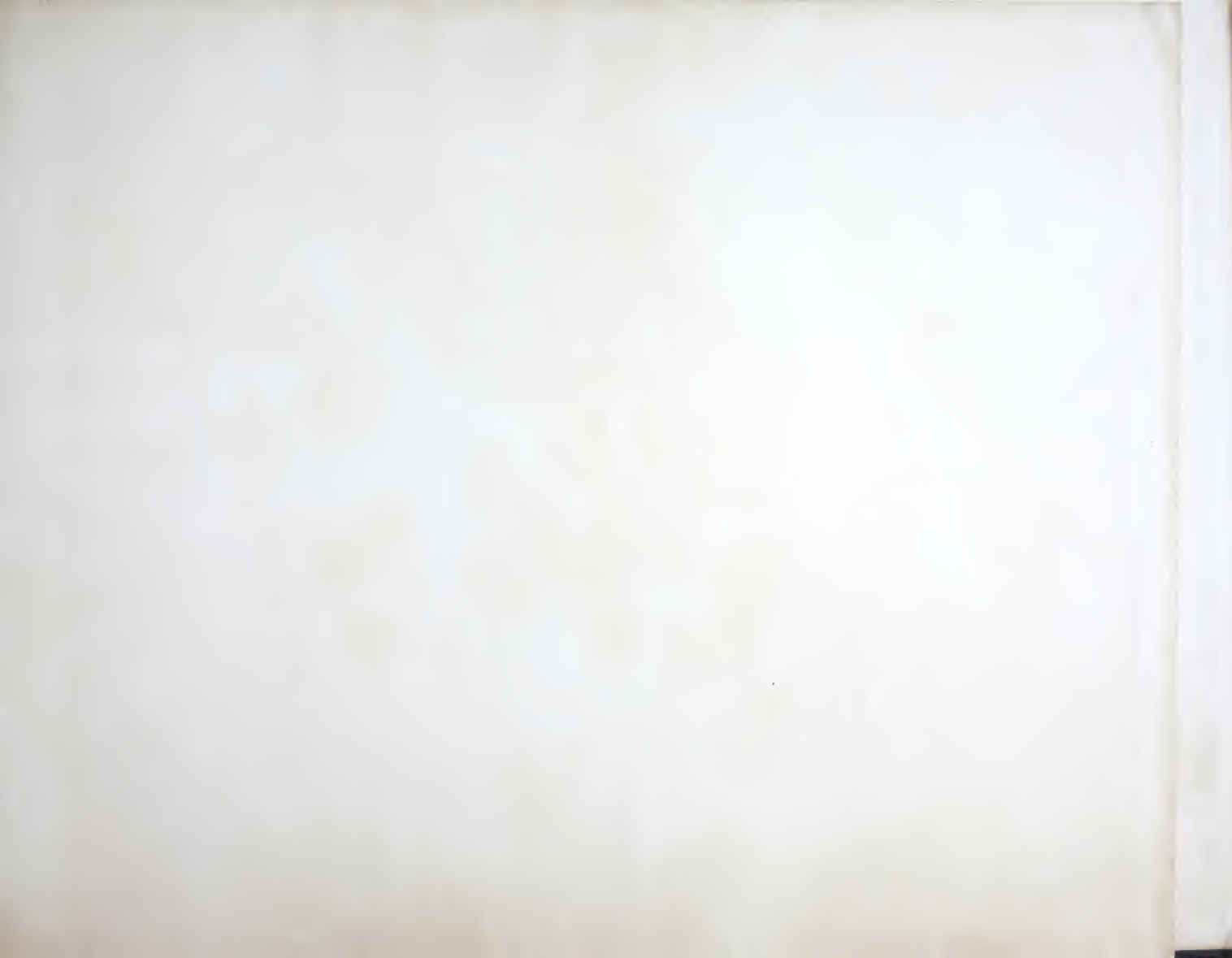


A—A block of our large Douglas and Blue Spruce, 8 to 20 feet high  
B—Winter scene showing group planting of mixed Evergreens  
C—Pin Oak trees, of which we have several thousand 3 to 6 inches in diameter













OFFICE OF  
JAY G WILBRAHAM  
673 BROADWAY  
NEW YORK

30th December, 1921

Lewis & Valentine Co.,  
Marbridge Bldg.,  
New York City.

Gentlemen:

It is gratifying to the most of us, notwithstanding our personal efforts to please in serving others, to be told that such were appreciated, consequently, I take this opportunity in expressing to you my satisfaction in the way you have tried and succeeded to please me in the re-arranging the landscaping of Grounds on my estate at Pelham Manor, Westchester County, New York.

The large 60 ft. maples, tall specimen blue spruce, cedars and pines you furnished along with the other evergreens have been a source of great satisfaction to me, as they are admired by everyone who have seen them, and my only regret is, that I did not have you start earlier in the fall on this work, that the balance of the planting as agreed, could be finished before the present severe cold weather set in.

From your enviable reputation in your line of business, and our business dealings, I have no hesitancy in thinking that all of the work you have done for me this Fall, will successfully survive the transplanting because of the care and expert manner your engineer and his crews have so far handled the entire operation, besides at all times demonstrating their individual personal interest in my behalf; I also state it is an unusual pleasure to do business with a concern in your line, in whom one has every confidence that the job, when completed, will be a finished and satisfactory one in every respect, and I take great pleasure in recommending your services to others.

Very truly yours,



JGW/D

